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**PUBLIC NOTICE PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 68106
IMPLEMENTATION OF LIMITED OPERATIONS DAYS IN FISCAL YEAR 2012-2013**

The Superior Court of California, County of Solano will have limited operation days on the days listed below:

Thursday, July 5 through Friday, July 6, 2012
Friday, August 31, 2012
Monday, November 19 through Wednesday, November 21, 2012
Monday, December 24 through Monday, December 31, 2012
Friday, March 29, 2013

On the limited operation days, all Clerk's Offices and all but two courtrooms will be closed. The two courtrooms will be open in the Hall of Justice, 600 Union Avenue, Fairfield, California to conduct arraignments and examinations as required by law, to sign any necessary documents on an emergency basis, and to handle time-sensitive juvenile matters. Time sensitive family law matters will also be handled daily. Drop boxes will be available at the Hall of Justice and at the Solano Justice Center, 321 Tuolumne Street, Vallejo for same-day filing of documents deposited there before 4:00 p.m.

The limited operations days will result in savings of about \$900,000 to reduce the impact of the judicial branch's \$350 million budget reduction for this fiscal year.

The Court finds it necessary to institute these changes in light of the ongoing state budget crises. Over the past three years, the California Judicial Branch budget has seen a reduction of \$600 million, which is a 30% reduction to the Judicial Branch budget.

The Legislature and Governor approved an additional permanent \$350 million dollar reduction to the Judicial Budget in fiscal year 2011-2012. The Court has instituted various cost savings measures such as a hiring freeze for the past three years, furloughs, implementation of an early retirement program, implementation of electronic reporting in misdemeanor matters and reengineering court processes for efficiencies.

If you have any comments regarding this action, please send them in writing to Brian Taylor, Court Executive Officer, 600 Union Avenue, Fairfield, CA 94533 by May 11, 2012.